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May 14, 2001            LB 538-543, 666, 666A, 849, 851  
                         LR 238-243

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Mr. Clerk, items for the record.

CLERK: Mr. President, I do have a communication from the Governor. (Read re: LB 539, LB 540, LB 541, LB 666, LB 666A, LB 849, LB 538.) Mr. President, a further communication. (Read re LB 542.) Mr. President, a second message. (Read re LB 543.) Mr. President, study resolutions LR 238-243, all will be referred to the board. That's all that I had, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal pages 2007-2015.)

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. We'll continue debate on the Bromm amendment, Senator Bromm...or, excuse me, Senator Beutler I had punched off earlier. Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: I'd call the question.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: The question has been called. Do I see five hands? I do. The question before the body is, shall debate cease? All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Record.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays to cease debate, Mr. President.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Debate ceases. Senator Bromm, you're recognized to close.

SENATOR BROMM: Mr. President, I'd like to ask for a call of the house.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: There's been a request to place the house under call. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Record.

CLERK: 24 ayes, 0 nays to place the house under call.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: House is under call. Senator Bromm, this is running on your time so I'll not call for people. You may proceed.

SENATOR BROMM: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. First of all, I thank my colleagues, each and every one, including Senator Byars, for